

# WØMTL—HannibalAmateurRadioClubNews—WØKEM



## 2021 HARC OFFICERS

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## NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING:

**FEBRUARY 10.2021**

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE!!**

Until further notice, all meetings will be done on the 146.625 repeater, due to COVID-19. Also, we are looking for a new meeting place, due to the Ambulance District needing to expand the facilities for the Cardinal-Glennon neonatal program.

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**MONDAY NIGHT WEEKLY NET CALL LIST – FEBRUARY 2021****AL – N9MAF**

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**SCHEDULED FCC VE TEST DATES FOR YEAR OF 2021****DATES FOR 2021 :**

**April 14, 2021**

**July 14, 2021**

**October, 13, 2021**

Registration is requested at least 72 hours before the exam session by contacting the team liaison, Ed Turner at 573-541-9130, or [n0wnv.et@gmail.com](mailto:n0wnv.et@gmail.com). If enough VE's are present at the meeting night, any walk ins will be able to test that evening.

The 2020 test fee will be unchanged at \$15.00. It goes to ARRL/VEC. Bring a photo ID (or two non-photo ID's); if currently licensed, bring the original and a photocopy of your valid FCC license; and if you are claiming credit for successful completion of an exam, bring the original and photocopy of any applicable CSCE's.

Exams will take place at 8:00 PM after the regular scheduled HARC meeting.

**WALK INS ARE WELCOME.**

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**HARC CLUB DUES:**

**HARC annual dues are due each January. The dues are very important and are needed to keep repeaters up and running, plus other expenses of the club. The yearly dues fee is \$20.00 per member, & \$5.00 for each additional family member. You can pay at club meetings, or send the money to HARC, P.O. Box 1522 Hannibal Mo, 63401. Thanks!!**



**Hannibal Amateur Radio Club  
Monthly Meeting Minutes  
Rocky Shrum KEØKCR, Secretary**



**January 13, 2021**

**Call to Order:**

The monthly meeting of the Hannibal Amateur Radio Club was called to order at 7:30 PM by Don (KDØHHN) with the following members present: Cliff, KØCA; Ken, KEØKCQ; Jody, KEØOAA; Bob, KEØKDG; Dave, KBØRZN; Rocky, KEØKCR; Ron, AA9GL; Al, N9MAF; Don KDØHHN; Wayne, KC9RFO; Steve, KDØYTH; and Doug, KGØTW.

**Proposals for Membership:**

None

**Minutes from Previous Meeting:**

Don (KDØHHN) asked if there were any changes or corrections to be made to the minutes from last month's meeting. Hearing none a motion was made by Ron (AA9GL) and seconded by Jody (KEØOAA) to accept the minutes as posted. The motion carried.

**Treasurer's Report:**

Ken (KEØKCQ) reported the following:

Last Month's balance \$ 2054.66

This month's balance \$ 2143.90

CD balance \$1337.07

Petty Cash        \$40.00

Total club assets: \$ 3520.97

A motion was made by Steve (KDØYTH) seconded by Rocky (KEØKCR) to accept the Treasurer's Report as re

**Repeaters:**

Al (N9MAF) reported that he is looking for either an older laptop with Windows XP or a proper connector cable to program the 880 repeater to reduce the hang time on it. He has the programming codes from Tom at A&W but needs an older laptop to adequately program it. He also has tried out a repeater of his at the 625 to see if that will solve the issues we have there, He has also checked all connections at ground level, and if the problem persists, he will plan to climb up to the antenna location on the tower to check connections there. He has the proper climbing equipment, but will need a spotter on the ground. Don (KDØHHN) suggested that Al contact the engineer from the radio station for their permission before climbing.

**Unfinished Business:**

Don (KDØHHN) reminder everyone to send their dues in as soon as possible. \$20.00 per member, \$5.00 per additional family member. Ken (KEØKCQ) will get a list of members who have paid to Don as soon as possible.

Meeting place- We have a couple of places we can meet, First is at the Hannibal Airport. Second is the Hannibal Municipal court room, but that would have to wait until after the COVID is under control. We also have the community room at lake Hannibal store and it is big enough for social distancing. Don (KDØHHN) said, depending on how the weather looks, we may try to do either the February or March meeting at Lake Hannibal and see how it goes.

**New Business:**

None

**Adjournment:**

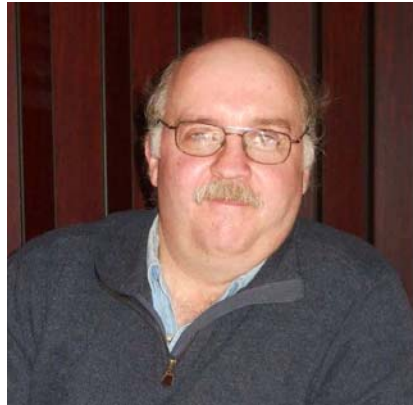
With no other business a motion to adjourn was made by Jody (KEØOAA), and seconded by Steve (KDØYTH). The motion carried and the meeting was adjourned at 7:47PM

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**FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK**  
**BY DON VARY KDØHHN**



Hello all, Not much new to report. Everyone stay safe and stay warm.

73  
Don

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Newington CT January 21, 2021  
To all radio amateurs

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The Daily DX, the OPDX Bulletin, 425 DX News, DXNL, Contest Corral  
from QST and the ARRL Contest Calendar and WA7BNM web sites. Thanks  
to all.

KENYA, 5Z. Wayne, 5Z4WH is QRV from Molo. He is generally active  
on 40, 20, 15 and 12 meters using SSB and FT8. QSL via operator's  
instructions.

MALDIVES, 8Q. Michael, HB9WDF will be QRV as 8Q7AO from Vilamendhoo  
Island, IOTA AS-013, from January 25 to February 7. Activity will  
be holiday style and only on Satellite OQ-100. QSL via LoTW.

EASTER ISLAND, CE0. Johnson is now QRV as CD0YJA and plans to be  
QRV from Hotu Matua, IOTA SA-001, when time permits. QSL direct to  
XR3UNION.

ANTARCTICA. Felix, DL5XL is QRV as DP1POL from the German research  
station Neumayer III until mid March while on work assignment.  
Activity is on various HF bands, and possibly Satellite QO-100,  
using CW and various digital modes. QSL via DL1ZBO.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, HI. Operators HI8AT, HI5KKK, HI8AM and HI8RDO  
are QRV as HI1IDT from Alto Velo Island, IOTA NA-122, until January  
24. Activity is on all bands using SSB, FM and various digital  
modes. QSL via operators' instructions.

ANTARCTICA. Ramon, LU3HRS is QRV as LU1ZG from Base Belgrano II  
while on work assignment. He is usually active on 20 meters using  
FT8 between 1900 and 2300z. QSL via LU4DXU.

BULGARIA, LZ. Special event station LZ190FT is QRV during all of 2021 to commemorate the 190th birthday of Bulgarian revolutionary Filip Totyu. QSL via LZ2VP.

PERU, OA. Special event calls OC200P, OC200E, OC200R and OC200U are QRV during 2021 to commemorate 200 years of Peru's republic. Only one of these calls will be active at a time. QSL to OA4O.

GREENLAND, OX. Nils, SM3UQK is QRV as OX/SE3A from Narsarsuaq Island, IOTA NA-018, while on work assignment. He is active in his spare time on 40 and 20 meters. QSL via SM3UQK.

ARUBA, P4. Mathias, DL4MM plans to be QRV as P4/DL4MM from January 23 to February 3. Activity will be on 160 to 6 meters using CW, SSB, FT8 and FT4. He plans to be active as P44AA in the upcoming CQ World Wide 160-Meter CW contest. QSL to home call.

UKRAINE, UR. Special event stations EM150PLU, EN150PLU and EO150PLU are QRV during all of 2021 to celebrate the 150th birthday of the poet Lesya Ukrinka. QSL via operators' instructions.

HONG KONG, VR. Special event station VR2BLEE is active to commemorate the passing 47 years ago of martial arts movie star Bruce Lee. QSL via operators' instructions.

INDONESIA, YB. Operators YB9GCC, YB9KJ, YC9GIW and YC9JKT will be QRV from Gelora Beach on Sumbawa Island, IOTA OC-150, on January 23 and 24. Activity will be on 40, 20 and 15 meters using SSB and FT8. QSL via operators' instructions.

ASCENSION ISLAND, ZD8. Tev, TA1HZ is QRV as ZD8HZ during 2021 while on work assignment in Georgetown. Activity will be in his free time on 80 to 10 meters using mainly FT8. QSL via LoTW.

THIS WEEKEND ON THE RADIO. The NCCC RTTY Sprint, QRP 80-Meter CW Fox Hunt, NCCC Sprint CW Ladder, BARTG RTTY Sprint and UK/EI DX CW Contest are all on tap for this weekend.

The OK1WC Memorial, K1USN Slow Speed Test and QCX CW Challenge are scheduled for January 25.

The RTTYOPS Weeksprint, Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest and QCX CW Challenge are scheduled for January 26.

The UKEICC 80-Meter CW Contest, CWops Mini-CWT Test, Phone Fray, SKCC CW Sprint and QRP 40-Meter CW Fox Hunt are scheduled for January 27.

Please see January 2021 QST, page 75, and the ARRL and WA7BNM contest web sites for details.



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